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COUNTRY East Germany REPORT NO. TOPIC Wittstock Airfield 25X1EVALUATION PLACE OBTAINED 25X1DATE OF CONTENT DATE OBTAINED DATE PREPARED 14 July 1955 25X1REFERENCES PAGES 2 ENCLOSURES (NO. & TYPE) UNCODEDREMARKS This is UNEVALUATED
Information

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1. The following air activity was observed at Wittstock airfield between 31 May and 9 June 1955:
 - 31 May. Throughout the day, jet fighters practiced individual flying and formation flying.
 - 1 and 2 June. There was individual flying by jet fighters.
 - 3 June. Flying by individual aircraft and elements of two was practiced during the morning. One high-wing monoplane landed in the afternoon.
 - 4 June. Jet fighters practiced flying individually and in elements of two.
 - 6 June. There was no air activity except for a local flight by a MiG-15 or U-MiG-15.
 - 7 to 9 June. No air activity was observed. ¹

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2. The following air activity and aircraft were observed at Wittstock airfield between 31 May and 17 June 1955:
 - 31 May. At 1030, an Il-10 was observed at the take-off point. There was air activity by jet fighters. Two radio trucks were parked at the eastern end of the runway near the alert formation.
 - 14 June. At 0930, a total of 27 jet fighters were parked at the field and arranged as follows:
 - 3 jet fighters at the take-off point
 - 4 jet fighters as alert formation at the eastern end of the runway
 - 10 jet fighters between the runway and hangars
 - 10 jet fighters in front of the hangars
 The hangar doors were open. There was air activity by jet fighters. At 1035, 3 MiG-15s or U-MiG-15s took off in rapid succession. One aircraft towed a sleeve target. Around 1400, no air activity was observed.
 - 16 June. At 0830, the hangar doors were open. No air activity was observed being conducted. At 1430, 3 tank trucks refueled jet fighters in the revetments. A hose extended from the tank truck to the aircraft that was being refueled.
 - 17 June. At about 1030, 3 jet fighters landed within 2 minutes and taxied to the repair hangar. No additional air activity was observed. A total of 19 jet fighters were observed being parked in the open hangars. An alert

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formation of 4 aircraft was seen at the eastern end of the runway. ¹

3. The previously reported 6 x 37-mm AA guns were still observed in the southwestern corner of the field. ²

1.  Comment. It is believed that Wittstock airfield is still occupied by one fighter regiment. A total of 27 jet fighters were observed on the landing field.

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2.  Comment. The AA gun emplacement has repeatedly been reported.

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